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CITY TO BEGIN \$3.4 MILLION DOLLAR WASTEWATER PLANT EXPANSION

On Thursday, June 23, 2011 at 10:00 a.m. EST, Mayor Don Pay and the Taylorsville City Commission will gather at 100 Garrard St. in downtown Taylorsville, along with other dignitaries, to celebrate the groundbreaking of a \$3.4 million dollar wastewater treatment plant expansion project. Invited guests include: Senator Mitch McConnell, Senator Rand Paul, Representative Brett Guthrie, members of the Kentucky General Assembly: Senator Paul Hornback, Representative Brad Montell, Representative Kim King, Representative David Floyd and Spencer County Judge/Executive Bill Karrer. This will mark the beginning of an investment in the city's infrastructure which will expand the capacity of the plant from 200,000 gallons per day, to 750,000 gallons per day.

The City is currently operating under an Agreed Order which limits the amount of wastewater that can be treated at the plant. This expansion, which is mandated by the state's Division of Water, will allow the city to be well positioned for future growth in the area. Funding for the project is comprised entirely of grants (59%) and loans (41%) to the city: the U.S. Department of Agriculture – Rural Development (\$1,410,000 loan, \$790,000 grant), U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development – Community Development Block Grant Program (\$800,000 grant) and the Kentucky Infrastructure Authority (\$400,000 grant). Pace Contracting has been awarded the bid to perform the work, which should be completed by the end of the year. Sisler-Maggard Engineering, PLLC will oversee the project on behalf of the city.

Don Pay, Mayor

Beverly Ingram, Commissioner Nathan Nation, Commissioner

Kathy Spears, Commissioner Larry Waldrige, Commissioner